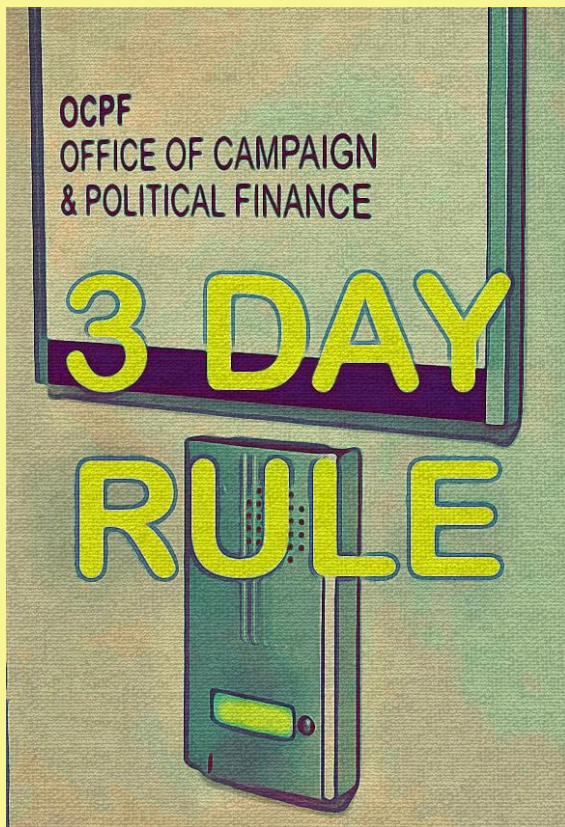




OCPF REPORTS

July 2022

Massachusetts Office of Campaign and Political Finance Newsletter



OCPF highly recommends e-filing deposit reports within three days of making a deposit at the bank. This practice is efficient and transparent.

Waiting for the drop?

FREQUENT PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

At the beginning of each month, there are media reports on total contributions raised by statewide candidates during the previous month. The public can get the information sooner by visiting www.ocpf.us

OCPF has long encouraged candidates to submit reports of their contributions received within three days of deposit, both for efficiency and transparency. When a deposit report is filed, the data appears on the candidate's page. Also, for statewide candidates, OCPF created a [chart](#) that is updated in real time. When statewide candidates file a deposit report, the chart updates. The public then knows – in real time – and without the wait.

We have the technology in place to provide the information. We encourage candidates to file deposit reports within three days of deposits. To view the chart, go to www.ocpf.us

CAMPAIGN FINANCE DATA IS AVAILABLE FOR HOUSE AND SENATE CANDIDATES: BY CONTEST

With the 2022 ballot set, OCPF has launched a campaign finance disclosure page sorting House and Senate activity by contest.

New campaign finance reports will be filed for legislative candidates by the 5th of each month through the year.



The monthly reports will show how money is being spent, and a summary total of contributions, district-by-district.

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NEW: Local filers can register for Reporter 7 online

Local filers can now register for Reporter 7 online to create, print and file their campaign finance reports.

[CLICK HERE](#) to register.

Local filers include all town candidates. City candidates may register using the link above, except for mayors, and city council candidates in cities with populations of 65,000 or more. Such city candidates use a different version of Reporter 7.



Click the image for instructions.

Agency Actions and Opinions

PUBLIC RESOLUTION LETTERS

The following list is a summary of agency actions issued recently by OCPF. Click the "agency actions" button below to view the full documents.

Stephen Dibble, Salem. Did not comply (failure to timely organize, spending outside the depository system, excess committee-to-committee contribution); 5/24/2022.

Amesbury Democratic Town Committee. No further action (joint fundraising); 6/7/2022.

Salisbury Democratic Town Committee. No further action (joint fundraising); 6/7/2022.

Newburyport Democratic City Committee. No further action (joint fundraising); 6/7/2022.

Newbury Democratic Town Committee. No further action (joint fundraising); 6/7/2022.

West Newbury Democratic Town Committee. No further action (joint fundraising); 6/7/2022.

Martin Hogan, Lowell. Did not comply (spending outside the depository system); 6/14/2022.

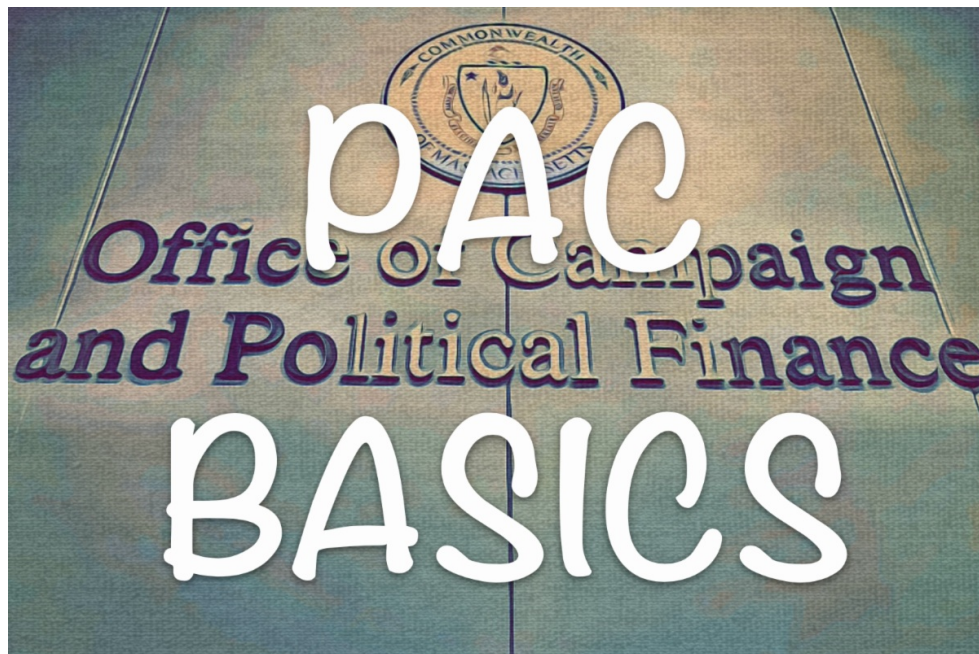
DISPOSITION AGREEMENT

A disposition agreement is a voluntary written agreement entered into between the subject of a

review and OCPF, in which the subject agrees to take certain specific actions.

Althea Garrison, Boston. Did not comply (spending outside the depository system); 6/8/2022.

AGENCY ACTIONS



OCPF focuses on an educational theme each month. For the month of July, it's "PAC AND GO."

Type "PAC AND GO" into our search engine at www.ocpf.us for more information. Click the image above for a short PAC video.

PAC BASICS:

- Can accept up to \$500 per calendar year from individuals.*
- Can contribute up to \$500 per calendar year to each Massachusetts candidate.*
- Can make unlimited independent expenditures to support or oppose candidates.*

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